

**Project title:** Sound Transit Everett Link Extension Environmental Impact Statement Scoping

## City Council Agenda Item Cover Sheet

**Council Bill #** *interoffice use*

**Agenda dates requested:**

March 1, 2023

**X Briefing**

Proposed action

Consent

Action

Ordinance

Public hearing

Yes X No

**Budget amendment:**

Yes X No

**PowerPoint presentation:**

X Yes No

**Attachments:**

Powerpoint

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**Project:** Sound Transit Everett Link Extension

**Partner/Supplier:** Sound Transit

**Location:**

**Preceding action:**

**Fund:**

**Fiscal summary statement:**

No fiscal impact.

**Project summary statement:**

The Sound Transit (ST) Everett Link Extension (EVLE) will connect Everett and Snohomish County to the existing Link light rail network, and provide 16 miles of fast, reliable public transit to our region's residential and business centers.

ST's EVLE project team is requesting public scoping comments on the route, station, and operations and maintenance facility alternatives now through the comment deadline of March 10, 2023. Before ST start work on an environmental impact statement, ST is looking for public feedback to guide decision-making. Comments can be submitted now through March 10 by visiting ST's [interactive website](#), emailing [everettlinkcomments@soundtransit.org](mailto:everettlinkcomments@soundtransit.org), leaving a voicemail at [425-492-7218](tel:425-492-7218) or by mail to: Everett Link Extension, ATTN: Kathy Fendt, Sound Transit, 401 S. Jackson St., Seattle, WA 98104.

Tonight's briefing will focus on the station location, alignment, and operations facility decisions that will be made by the Sound Transit in May 2023. It will also provide the city staff team's recommendation of the city's position on each of these decisions.

**Recommendation (exact action requested of Council):**

No action is required. The briefing is for information only.